

## Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING MAY 11, 1895.

## LOCAL MATTERS.

on rises to-morrow at 4:46; and sets at 10:15 a. m. and 10:15 p. m.

**WEATHER PROBABILITIES.**—For this season increasing cloudiness with rain and showers this afternoon or to night; Saturday morning; fair in the afternoon; cooler; southerly winds, clearing to northerly.

**CHURCH SERVICES, &c., TO-MORROW.**—First Church.—Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. H. Suter.

St. Paul's Church.—Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. P. P. Phillips.

Grace Church.—7 a. m. services; 9:30 a. m. Sunday school; 11 a. m. morning service; 3 p. m. Mission school; 8 p. m. sermon by Rev. C. E. Ball.

St. Mary's Church.—First mass at 7 a. m. Children's mass 9:30 a. m. Mass at 11 a. m. by Rev. Father Kenefick.

German Lutheran Church.—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Service at 11 a. m., by German) by the pastor, Rev. S. Gier. Mite Society meets after service.

Second Presbyterian Church.—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. T. H. Rice.

Baptist Church.—Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. S. G. Catts, of Alabama, and 8 p. m. by Rev. J. G. Bow, D. D., of Alabama.

Trinity Meth. Epis. Church.—Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. W. H. McAllister. Epworth League anniversary at 8 p. m.

Meth. Epis. Church South.—9:15 a. m. Sunday school; at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. preaching by Rev. J. T. Williams.

Epworth Chapel.—9 a. m. class meeting; 10:30 p. m. Sunday school.

Meth. Prot. Church.—Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. F. T. Benson.

Christian Endeavor service at 7:00 p. m. Free Methodist Church.—Lee street, near Wilkes.—Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. Mr. Santmyer.

Meeting at Midland Railroad reading rooms at 4 p. m. Service of prayer and praise with a short address.

Alms House service at 3:00 p. m. Roberts Chapel, M. E. Church (colored).—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. S. G. Griffin.

**THE RACE TRACK.**—As stated yesterday there was no racing at St. Asaph. The Jockey Club, having revoked the license of the Virginia Jockey Club, which owns the St. Asaph track.

As soon as the news of the Jockey Club's action reached the track, the horse owners held an impromptu meeting, which resulted in the sending of a telegram to August Belmont, signed by Mr. Wm. Daly, asking whether the revocation of the license went into immediate effect. The reply was very positive in its terms. It simply that any horse, jockey, or owner taking part in any racing at St. Asaph yesterday would be outlawed. Of course that settled the question of racing, and the owners immediately began discussing plans for shipping their strings to New York. Among the stables which left for New York yesterday was that of O. A. Jones. Nearly all of them will have left the track before Monday. In fact, not more than 100 horses, at the outside, will remain to take part in the meeting under the new order of things.

The foreign book was quickly put in operation at the old stand, and soon the game was going on as merrily as if nothing had occurred. Messrs. J. M. Hill and J. N. Kirk, who testified at the meeting of the Jockey Club on Thursday night, returned yesterday afternoon. They were met in Washington by John C. Carr and Tobe Wall, and later on the four held a protracted meeting at the Raleigh. After it was over it was given out that racing will be resumed at St. Asaph on Monday on an entirely independent basis. The club is to be reorganized, and J. M. Hill announced that he will have nothing to do with its management. Mr. Wall also stated that he has disposed of his financial interest in the club. He left for New York last night, accompanied by Mr. Carr.

A dispatch from Washington says: The stockholders of the Virginia Association held a meeting yesterday afternoon and decided to begin a new and independent meeting next Monday, racing three days a week as outlaws, drawing upon the Old Dominion Jockey Club for horses and jockeys. Tobe Wall withdrew from the club and J. C. Carr and Dennis McLaughlin will dispose of their holdings as speedily as possible. J. M. Hill, J. N. Kirk, John Egan and a few local lights will divide the stock of the new venture. The foreign book will be moved down to the betting ring, in keeping with the advice of H. D. McIntyre, and full price booking allowed.

It is understood that T. Wood Martin will be the presiding judge under the new arrangement, and Steve Stillwell perform the duties of secretary. Frank Bray, formerly assistant starter, will drop the red flag. All purses will be \$200. All horses and owners which have not been ruled off for fraud will be eligible to start at St. Asaph, and the "Telegraph road" in Fairfax county about two miles from this city, at present occupied by George Monch and containing about 23 acres, to Mr. J. W. Gaines for \$1,915.

**PROPERTY SALE.**—Mr. R. F. Knox, auctioneer, sold to-day at public auction for Mr. F. J. Paff, trustee, a tract of land and buildings thereon, situated on the "Telegraph road" in Fairfax county, about two miles from this city, at present occupied by George Monch and containing about 23 acres, to Mr. J. W. Gaines for \$1,915.

**IMPROMPTU BIRTHS.**—On the up trip of the Norfolk steamer Norfolk on Wednesday night one of the female passengers gave birth to an infant. The same steamer was the scene of another birth shortly after it left Washington last night. When the boat reached this city both mother and babe were doing well.

**FISH.**—Since yesterday about 3,000 herring and 200 shad have arrived at Fishtown. Herring sold to-day at \$2a2.50 per thousand and shad at \$10.00a\$12.00 per hundred.

The season is about over and Fishtown will soon close for the year.

**THE INTEREST EXCITED BY D. BENDHEIM & SONS' SPECIAL SALES** are growing daily more intense. People are going there, knowing that they will find every statement borne out by facts, every price bargain an actual reality, and every bargain the most gigantic money saver that has ever come their way. They have not space enough to advertise all their bargains. The principal features in Monday's sales are ladies' shirt waists, wrappers, veiling, summer underwear, white goods, embroideries, laces, and gentlemen's furnishings.

The Odd Fellows' fair will begin on Monday.

**MR. NEALE'S RESIGNATION.**—The following is Mr. C. F. Neale's resignation as secretary and member of the Hydrant Fire Company, which was presented at the last meeting of that company:

To the Officers and Members of the Hydrant Fire Company:

Gentlemen.—I beg to tender my resignation as an officer and member of your company. In doing so I desire to call your attention to a few of my reasons for resigning from the company.

O'Poodle's Dilemma, as it was called, was an entertainment was got up by the company.

was on the committee, but rendered no assistance, leaving town and returning the night of the show, buying or selling not a ticket. The other member of the committee had a ticket given him, but sold it and kept the fifty cents he obtained for it. So you see the help I had from your committee and the benefit the company derived for their services. Another member of the committee has returned fifty cents short, as my report shows. The bulk of the tickets were sold by four members, among them a leading paid man who took a prominent part in talking of me, who owes me cash money to-day. There are other members of your organization who owe me cash money borrowed time and time again but failed to return it. These are the bulk of the members who talked about me and to satisfy them and in justice to myself are my reasons for resigning. No doubt Mr. Starnell might get up and say there were more tickets printed, but I say this is untrue, as my tickets and cash balance and I can cite by stating number of tickets sold by each man.

During my connection with your organization, although not much of a fireman, I have done my part in outside affairs, having always the interest of the company at heart. My association with some of the members of the company has been very pleasant. Trusting my resignation will be acted upon at once and wishing the company success I remain yours very truly,

CHAS. F. NEALE.

**ENTERTAINMENT.**—It has been stated there will be a grand musical and dramatic entertainment at Sarepta Hall next Tuesday evening. Miss Anita Cluse, the famous harp virtuoso, will appear and play several harp solos. She is a professional endowed with extraordinary talent. Miss Cluse has played harp solos to audiences in Chicago, New York, and other large cities. She has also had the privilege of playing before President and Mrs. Cleveland and the members of the cabinet. Miss Daisy B. Harrison, the talented young elocutionist, is also on the programme. The Imperial Banjo and Mandolin Club will also add to the enjoyment of the evening with their selections. Miss Clara Flint, the favorite and well-known soprano, will sing several songs with harp accompaniment. In addition to the programme, a romantic drama entitled "The Set of Purpoose" will be produced with Mr. Thornton Paul, the young tragedian in the leading role.

**POLICE COURT.**—Mayor Strauss presiding.—The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Joseph Payne, colored, arrested by Officer Young for breaking a window with a stone, was fined \$1.

Edward Carter, colored, arrested by the same officer, charged with a similar offense, was dismissed for want of evidence.

Armistead Harris, colored, arrested by Officer Beach for disorderly conduct near a church, was fined \$5, or given 30 days on the chain gang.

A white man, arrested at the instance of his wife for disorderly conduct, was fined \$5.

**Night Report.**—Last night was clear and warm until about four o'clock, when it became cloudy. Three prisoners were at the station house.

**A MENACE TO HEALTH.**—Attention has several times been called to the terminus of the Royal street sewer at Franklin street, and now that warm weather appears to have set in earnest it is making its presence known by the poisonous and disagreeable odors it is sending forth. This sewer has been tapped by numbers of private residences, and it also receives the drainage from the government's sewer, commencing at the postoffice, and its numerous tributaries. All this filth is emptied into the open ditch at Franklin street to fester and ferment under the summer's sun. Were the sewer enclosed for two squares further south, where the tide ebbs and flows, all accumulations would be carried into Hunting creek.

**DEATH OF MR. LANCASTER.**—Mr. George B. Lancaster, a prominent citizen of Charles county, Md., died at his residence, near Newport, on Wednesday last, after a lingering illness, aged about 75 years. Previous to the late civil war he was a member of the well-known commission and grocery firm of Lancaster & Gardiner, in this city, which went out of business on the breaking out of the war, when he returned to his native county, where he had since resided. He leaves a widow and four children.

**THE MARKET** this morning, as is usual on Saturdays, presented a more animated appearance than any other portion of the city. While there was a stock of flowers seemed to overshadow the more substantial, and the stands at the market were represented, including attractive lilies. County produce was about equal to the demand. There was an abundance of green stuff at moderate prices. Butter and eggs were plentiful.

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## DRY GOODS.

D. Bendheim & Sons  
NO. 316 KING STREET.



We are offering an entirely new line of Veilings, newest effects, Trilby, Rob Roy, Maggie, Giswanda, Chiffon, Crepe De Chine, etc. Regular 65c to 75c quality at 25c, 35c and 50c.

**LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS.**  
Ladies' Laundered and Unlaundered Shirt Waists, full sleeves and ruffled fronts, from 21c to 75c.



**LADIES' WRAPPERS.**  
Ladies' Wrappers from 49c to 95c.  
Ladies' Mermaid Print Wrappers, full sleeves and wide skirts. Worth 75c at 49c.

**ALL SUMMER REQUISITES.**  
Ladies' and Children's Ribbed Vests, 5c. Summer Corsets, extra good value, 39c.

D. Bendheim & Sons  
N. E. Cor. King & Royal Sts.

**A FAILURE.**—Henry Jackson, the colored man who undertook to fire an engine on the Virginia Midland Railway Thursday night, proved a failure in that capacity before the train had proceeded twenty miles from this city. At Manassas Junction his inefficiency was so apparent that it was necessary to telegraph to this city for another man. Jackson, for some reason, was unable to keep steam on the engine. The attempt to replace the white firemen with colored men is the subject of much comment, especially in railroad circles. Some contend that the movement is intended for a menace to the white firemen and to prevent strikes, while others believe it is the policy of the present management to employ colored firemen and brakemen on all the lines of the Southern Railway system. On most of the roads south of Danville colored men are now employed in such work. Another colored man was sent out this morning as a fireman. He succumbed before the train reached Burke's station and his place had to be filled by a brakeman.

**PERSONAL.**—Messrs. J. M. Love and R. W. Moore, of Fairfax, were in the city to-day.

Mr. Andrew Deaton continues extremely ill at his home on North St. Asaph street.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Brent have gone to Atlantic City to spend a week or two.

Rev. Sydney Catts, of Pleasant Hill, Ala., who is attending the Baptist convention, in Washington, was in the city to-day on a visit to friends and relatives here.

Mr. Wm. C. Powell has returned from Asheville, N. C., where he spent the winter. He is much improved in health.

**A COOL WAVE COMING.**—The hot weather of the past week is probably as striking an example of the vagaries of May as can be found in the records of the Weather Bureau. The west was the source of the torrid wave, but from the Northwest a cool breeze has started on its journey across the continent, and unless a snag should be encountered it should reach this locality to-night. The cool wave will be welcomed with delight.

**EXAMINATION FINISHED.**—The board of civil engineers who met in this city yesterday to examine the applicants for the position of City Surveyor to be filled by the City Council next Tuesday night, completed their examination at a late hour last night. As stated yesterday there were but three who appeared for examination. The examiners will prepare their report in time for Council to act next Tuesday.

**CORPORATION COURT.**—Judge J. K. M. Norton presiding.—A. Lorenze vs. Farmers and Mechanics' Insurance Co., judgment for plaintiff for \$1,000.

U. S. Publishing Co. vs. A. Lorenze, judgment for plaintiff for \$90.

John Underwood availed himself of the homestead exemption act and filed papers according to law.

**MARRIAGE.**—A young man named Schuler and a young woman named Smith applied at the station house this afternoon for the purpose of having a marriage ceremony performed. Lieut. Smith sent Officer Griffin for Rev. Mr. Benson and, a license having been procured, when that gentleman arrived the nuptial knot was tied.

## DRY GOODS.

Big Values  
—IN—  
Straw Mattings

We have the stock, we have the variety, and the prices are lower than elsewhere.

200 pieces to select from.

A 12½c matting at \$3.50 a roll. 40 yards in a roll, or 10c per yard to cut.

A 20c matting, extra heavy jointless, at \$4.99 a roll, or 15c per yard to cut.

A 25c matting, weighs 80 lbs to the roll, at \$5.99, or 18c per yard to cut.

20 pieces 100-lb Chinese damask matting, actual value 35c. We closed the remainder of an importers' stock. You can have them at 20c a yard.

15 pieces of Chinese cotton warp matting, excellent value at 30c. We are selling them at \$9 per roll, or 25c per yard.

A large variety of high-class mattings, including the newest ideas of Chinese production.

We are headquarters for straw mattings. No trouble to show them. Examine before making your purchases. We invite comparison.

Isaac Eichberg,  
N. E. Cor. King & Royal Sts.

**LOCAL BREVITIES.**

The May term of the Corporation Court will begin on Monday.

Emma Groves this morning obtained a permit to enter the alms house.

Mr. Isaac Eichberg advertises a large line of straw mattings and other summer goods.

The Episcopal Council will meet in Charlottesville next Wednesday. Next year the Council will meet in this city.

It is not believed in Washington that steps will be taken immediately in the case of the jurisdiction of Alexander Island.

The Union Mission will hold an open-air service to-night at the corner of King and Royal streets, which will be conducted by Mr. Redding.

Mr. J. M. Johnson, administrator, has sold to Mr. S. H. Lunt a lot in the court bounded by King, Prince, Lee and Union streets, for \$250.

A horse became frightened on King street near Royal this morning, and backing on the sidewalk caused some excitement, but did no damage.

The C. & O. train due here this morning at 6:30 did not arrive till about 9 o'clock, the engine having broken down about 16 miles west of this city.

To-morrow evening in Trinity M. E. Church the Epworth League anniversary will take place. Addresses and music will make a most enjoyable meeting.

Mrs. Elizabeth Lyles, wife of Mr. Arthur Lyles, a well-known baker here, died last night at 10:30 o'clock. The funeral will take place Monday evening at 3 o'clock from Christ Church.

It is expected that several of the former pastors of the Baptist Church, now in attendance upon Southern Baptist Convention in session at Washington, will be present at services in this city to-morrow.

Mr. C. C. Chichester last night found a dead roa on the Leesboro road near his home, just west of this city. It is supposed the bird struck a telephone wire and was killed. It is a rare occurrence to see these birds before the last of August.

Mr. J. Q. A. Herring, Philadelphia manager of the Adams Express Company, celebrated his seventieth birthday yesterday by a trip with a party of friends down the Potomac river from Washington to Stony Point, Marshall Hall and Mt. Vernon.

A cake walk was given last night at the colored Odd Fellows' Hall on south Columbus street by the colored employees of the race track. There was a large attendance, among those present being a number of white people who were attracted by curiosity.

At the Fish Commission in Washington yesterday Prof. W. de Ravenel was busily engaged in the preparation for shipment of two carloads of shad fry, which are to be put in the rivers of Virginia and North Carolina. Some are to be put at Occoquan, Quantico, Rapidan, Rockfish and Fredericksburg.

The annual contest in oratory for the gold medal was held at St. John's College, Washington, last evening, and was attended by a large number of the friends of the students. Thirteen members of the senior class competed. The judges awarded the gold medal to Edward Scanlon, with honorable mention to Leo P. Harlow of this city, and Harry K. Bentley.

One of the Washington papers says

## BANK STATEMENTS.

[651.]  
REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

First National Bank,  
AT ALEXANDRIA, IN THE STATE OF VIRGINIA.

At the close of business, May 7, 1895.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts, \$452,658 69  
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured, 1,280 00  
U. S. bonds to secure circulation, 50,000 00  
Stocks, securities, etc., 27,400 00  
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures, 10,000 00  
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents), 14,454 12  
Due from State banks and bankers, 3,079 53  
Due from approved reserve agents, 60,532 02  
Checks and other cash items, 8,271 23  
Notes of other National Banks, 900 00  
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents, 559 48  
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:

Specie, 28,200 00  
Legal tender notes, 24,000 00  
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, 5 per cent. of circulation, 2,250 00  
Due from U. S. Treasurer other than 5 per cent. redemption fund, 1,070 00  
Total, \$684,655 07

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in, \$100,000 00  
Surplus fund, 20,000 00  
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid, 54,535 28  
National bank notes outstanding, 45,000 00  
Due to other National Banks (not approved reserve agents), 26,551 17  
Due to State banks and bankers, 5,949 19  
Individual deposits subject to check, 409,103 15  
Demand certificates of deposit, 3,038 69  
Certified checks, 75 92  
Notes and bills rediscounted, 20,402 67  
Total, \$684,655 07

State of Virginia, City of Alexandria:  
I, Charles R. Hooff, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of May, 1895.  
W. F. LAMBERT, Notary Public.

Correct—attest:  
HENRY STAUBS,  
JOS. HOODER,  
NOBLE LANDSEY, Directors.

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Loans and discounts, \$263,162 81  
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured, 100 21  
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation, 25,000 00  
Stocks, securities, etc., 72,278 12  
Banking-house, furniture, and fixtures, 9,700 00  
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents), 16,666 30  
Due from State banks and bankers, 7,238 23  
Due from approved reserve agents, 29,924 57  
Checks and other cash items, 2,379 52  
Notes of other National Banks, 220 00  
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents, 201 51  
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:

Specie, 14,879 00  
Legal tender notes, 41,395 00  
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, 5 per cent. of circulation, 1,125 00  
Total, \$484,270 27

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in, \$100,000 00  
Surplus fund, 20,000 00  
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid, 24,978 55  
National bank notes outstanding, 32,200 00  
Due to other National Banks, 13,153 55  
Due to State banks and bankers, 409 46  
Individual deposits subject to check, 300,563 88  
Demand certificates of deposit, 2,664 83  
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State of Virginia, City of Alexandria:  
I, Wm. H. Lambert, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of May, 1895.  
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